

## MT. VERNON HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT



D. H. LYON, Principal  
Mt. Vernon High School



Miss Winnie Fulin  
Teacher English and History



Miss Irene Moredock  
Teacher Latin and French

With the baccalaureate sermon at the Christian Church Sunday morning preached by Rev. Brazelton, pastor of the Stanford Christian church, began the Commencement week of the Mt. Vernon Graded and High school. It was a most excellent discourse and was greatly appreciated by the large audience which gathered in honor of the nine young ladies and gentlemen, who finish the course as prescribed and will go out into the world for the higher and bigger spheres of life.

Those to whom Diplomas of Graduation will be delivered tomorrow evening.



Miss Ruth A. Landrum



Mrs. Verma Welch-Fenzel



Miss Sidney Alverson Crawford



Mrs. Ella Mae McKenzie-Mullins



Miss Mary H. Langford



Miss Onie Silvers



Miss Myrtle Bryant



Richard Cox



Chas. Milton Moore

## OVER-THE-TOP.

The Red Cross Drive in Rockcastle started Monday and before noon Wednesday Mt. Vernon and Livingston, the two towns which had arranged for their drives in the early part of the week had gone over the top. Mt. Vernon reported \$2,030 and Livingston reported \$617 making a total of \$2,647, reported at noon Wednesday, which was \$147 more than Rockcastle's quota. Brodhead will make her drive tonight and you can bet your last button that when Brodhead's report comes in, that she will be right at the top. Wilder which has responded to every call had their drive Wednesday night and the report as shown elsewhere in this issue bears evidence of the support of those good people.

## MT. VERNON'S SUBSCRIPTION

W. A. McKenzie.....	\$50.00
C. C. Williams .....	50.00
Mrs. W. J. Sparks .....	50.00
U. G. Baker .....	50.00
J. W. Brown .....	50.00
M. Pennington .....	50.00
R. R. Asher .....	50.00
S. F. Bowman .....	25.00
J. Fish .....	25.00
Dr. Walker Owens .....	25.00
J. F. Griffin .....	25.00
W. G. McBee .....	35.00
E. S. Albright and wife .....	25.00
H. J. Mullins .....	25.00
W. M. Hurst .....	25.00
V. C. Tate .....	25.00
T. J. Niceley .....	20.00
Mrs. A. E. Miller .....	25.00
Rev. Moore .....	15.00
Mrs. Cleo Brown .....	15.00
Rev. H. T. Young and wife .....	15.00
Mrs. Fannie Adams .....	15.00
Mrs. L. W. Bethurum .....	15.00

J. S. Cash .....	15.00
T. B. Lair .....	15.00
F. L. Durham .....	10.00
K. F. Gentry .....	10.00
E. B. Cox .....	10.00
Chas. Lovell .....	10.00
Joe Brown .....	10.00
M. G. Fish .....	10.00
W. H. Gentry .....	10.00
Mrs. Mattie Pennington .....	5.00
A. H. Hamlin and wife .....	10.00
J. L. Norton .....	15.00
L. V. Murrell .....	15.00
Fred Krueger .....	10.00
J. McKenzie .....	10.00
T. F. Warren .....	10.00
G. S. Durham .....	10.00
J. M. Norton .....	10.00
Rome Adams .....	5.00
S. C. Franklin .....	5.00
R. W. Henderson .....	5.00
Mrs. Ella Mae Mullins .....	5.00
Burdette Owens .....	5.00
Mrs. Alice Childress .....	5.00
W. F. Baker .....	5.00
Miss Amy Proctor .....	5.00
Miss Tevis Bethurum .....	5.00
E. B. Brown .....	5.00
Miss Clyde Watson .....	5.00
Miss Louanna Whitehead .....	5.00
Mrs. Ellen Price .....	5.00
Mrs. Alma Patten .....	5.00
J. W. Parsons .....	5.00
Miss Christine Davis .....	5.00
D. H. Lyon .....	5.00
W. A. Cox .....	5.00
John Albright .....	2.50
Julian Miller .....	2.50
John Rumsey .....	5.00
Mrs. Alice Davis .....	5.00
Miss Annie McNew .....	5.00
Mrs. Mary M. Doan .....	5.00
Miss Turner .....	5.00
W. H. Fish .....	5.00
Mrs. R. A. Sparks .....	5.00
Mrs. W. L. Richards .....	5.00
Austin Darham .....	5.00
Mrs. T. J. Pennington .....	5.00
John Clontz .....	5.00
Miss Ethel Davis .....	5.00
Mrs. M. Pennington .....	5.00
Bentley Mullins .....	5.00
Wm Wallen .....	5.00
Miss Anna L. Cummins .....	5.00
Mrs. Susan Pennington .....	5.00
Miss Lucinda Hellard .....	5.00
Arthur Hurst .....	5.00
Judge Mullins .....	10.00
James Maret .....	5.00
G. T. Johnson .....	5.00
Miss Sprawles .....	5.00
W. L. Richards .....	15.00
Miss Annie Phillips .....	5.00
Miss Edith Phillips .....	5.00
Miss Lou Phillips .....	5.00
Dorothy Albright .....	2.50
Lucille Albright .....	2.50
Marguerite Merrick .....	5.00
Miss Virginia Crawford .....	5.00
Mrs. Leila M. Cooper .....	25.00
J. T. Hurst .....	10.00
Miss Nedia Childress .....	5.00
R. Powell .....	5.00
H. G. Claxton .....	5.00
Joe Cummins .....	5.00
J. L. Hasty .....	20.00
Miss Emma Hansel .....	5.00
Floyd Miller .....	5.00
Aden Owens .....	5.00

## CLEAN UP PAINT UP

### AND KEEP IT UP

A "Clean-up" without a "Paint-up" is useless and absurd, not only because houses that are unpainted eyesores appear uglier and more conspicuous after a "clean-up", but because the painted surface inside and outside can be kept clean, sanitary and germ proof.

PAINT--Paint your walls, floors and ceiling. It's cheaper to be kept well

We have made house-painting a study and can help you to just what you want, whatever the requirements, large or small.

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THE BLUE FRONT STORE, RIGHT OPPOSITE  
THE COURT HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davis .....	25.00
Mrs. Sallie Craig .....	1.00
Bonnie Niceley .....	5.00
Mrs. Sallie Owens .....	1.00
W. M. Poynter .....	50.00
J. W. Mink .....	5.00
M. J. Miller .....	25.00
Wm. Arnold .....	5.00
Wm. Kirby .....	5.00
J. W. Rider .....	5.00
W. C. Burdette .....	5.00
Mack Large .....	1.00
J. R. Alcorn .....	1.00
J. C. McGuire .....	1.00
Mrs. C. H. White .....	5.00
J. B. Childress .....	1.00
Lewis M. Ramsey .....	1.00
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J. A. Sigmon .....	1.00
John Logsdon .....	1.00
T. J. Ball .....	15.00
D. P. Bethurum .....	5.00
John French Sr. .....	1.00
Robt. Mize .....	1.00
J. D. Lamb .....	1.00
J. I. Noe .....	5.00
F. L. Thompson Jr. .....	10.00
A. L. Adams .....	5.00
M. G. Noe .....	2.00
Mrs. Frances French .....	1.00
W. D. Livesay .....	10.00
Mrs. Lucy Mullins .....	1.00
M. P. Fenzel .....	5.00
Jack Abney .....	5.00
Total .....	\$1,699.00
Received from Red Cross Sale .....	\$ 375.00
Total .....	\$2,074.00

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#### ABOUT RHEUMATISM.

Rheumatism causes more pain and suffering than any other disease, for the reason that it is the most common of all ills, and it is certainly gratifying to sufferers to know that there is a remedy that will afford relief, and make rest and sleep possible. It is called Chamberlain's Liniment.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

YOU MUST RAISE BIGGER AND BETTER CROPS TO HELP WIN THE WAR

You must have the proper repairs for your machinery in order to save all you raise. Let us supply you with repairs for your mower or binder. We have them

Sections, and Section Rivets; Guards and Guard Bolts; Knives and Knife Heads; Pitmans, Pitman Boxes and Pitman Belts; Chain Links, and other repairs for the Deering, Wood and McCormick Mowers and Binders.

War Time Economy is not in buying goods of inferior quality in order to save a dollar. Nothing is more wasteful.

BUY GOODS WITH A REPUTATION

**JOHN ROBINS  
BRODHEAD, KENTUCKY**

## War service in clothes

YOU want to save for the country, for yourself; wool for the soldiers, laborers for war work. You would like to feel that you are doing it when you buy clothes

You can. Come to this store and get Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes; they give you the most for your money; all wool fabrics, fine tailoring, good style.

Such clothes last many times longer than cheaper clothes; that's where your saving comes in. We'll prove it. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**Sutton & McBee**

The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

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### A SINGING ARMY IN FRANCE.

"A singing army to France:—The slogan indicates a new determined nation on the part of the Army Y. M. C. A. to meet the increasing needs of the soldier boys for music in the camps, according to a bulletin just received here from the Central Department headquarters of the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. Following the declaration of Maj. Gen. Harry C. Hale that "a singing army is a winning army," the Army Y. M. C. A. is now planning its work for soldiers throughout the United States to beat the Germans at their own game.

Thirty-eight of the foremost song leaders in this country are now at work in the cantonements of the United States, organizing the enlisted men by companies and barracks and teaching them a score of songs which they may sing together at reviews or on the march. It is stated that 47 such song leaders are provided for and this number will soon be reached. One song leader is being supplied in each of the army camps. In addition there are to be 12 itinerant song leaders who will instruct the men in singing at isolated points. The purpose of the Y. M. C. A. singing program is to develop song leaders from the ranks and make each military unit self-enteraining as it moves "over there."

"Music alone competes with religion in the power to lift up man's heart and soul," says Marshal M. Bartholomew, in charge of singing instruction for the Y. M. C. A., in a statement just issued. "The two most military nations of the world have long recognized and systematically exploited this power. During a long residence in Germany both before and during the present war, I had opportunity to study at first hand this important phase of army life, and more recently in Japan I made myself familiar with military music. In my opinion, the singing in the German army has done more to keep up the morale of those troops and to stimulate the patriotism of the people than any other single influence."

The State Y. M. C. A. of Kentucky is trying to recruit thirty-five men per month for Army Y. M. C. A. service and a large portion of the men should be able to lead singing.

Inquiries can be addressed to C. A. Tevenhaug, 345 Association Building, Louisville, Ky.

### B R O D H E A D

The sad news reached us Friday noon that Mrs. A. E. Albright, who was in a private sanatorium in Cincinnati under treatment for a complication of diseases, died at 6:00 a.m. Mr. Albright had been in Cincinnati for almost a week at the bedside of his wife, and while her condition was considered critical the end came with little warning, the immediate family, Mr. Albright, the nurses, in fact her physician did not realize the seriousness, or rather unexpected that the end was so near. Death came so quiet and so calm that she went from a natural sleep into the sleep that knows no awakening. Mrs. Albright was a devout member of the Baptist church, and while she made no display of her good deeds yet they were many. She was ever mindful of those about her of the less fortunate, and many of our town and community shed bitter tears because of the loss of one who had been a friend to them when friendship counts.



JUDGE B. J. BETHURUM

who made his formal announcement this week as a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States Senator

so much. Short services were held at the residence by Rev. A. J. Pike, who baptised her when a little girl, and he was assisted by Rev. R. R. Noel and Mr. J. C. McClary of Stanford, after which her remains were laid to rest in the Baptist church cemetery. She is survived by her husband, Mr. A. E. Albright, a prominent business man of our town, five daughters, Mrs. W. O. Yadon Misses, Hazel, Nina, Worth and Vivian, her mother, Mrs. O. W. Turpin, a sister, Mrs. J. W. Tate, and two brothers. Possibly the largest number that ever attended a funeral in our town was present Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and remained until all was done that human hands could do, showing their sympathy for the bereaved ones, and endeavoring to comfort them.—Eld. and Mrs. J. W. Masters of Corbin, moved to our town Saturday and are occupying the property recently purchased from J. Thos Cherry on Silver street—Mrs. J. R. Cass was with her daughters, Mrs. B. E. Elder and Mrs. L. B. Hilton, in Stanford, last week.—J. T. Wallin has sold his barber shop to C. H. Frith and W. O. Yadon. Mr. Wallin still has charge of the shop and will likely hold it down until Chuck and Bill learn the trade. Mr. Frith is now in Oklahoma, and it has been reported that he is making investigations in the oil business; but for all we know he may be taking lessons in the barber business.—Brown and Craig, of Lancaster, ship a car load of hogs from here Saturday.—W. J. McQueen bought a farm from Dr. Pennington, of London, last week for \$3,000. This farm is in Laurel county, and Mr. McQueen is moving his family to it.

The Commencement exercises of the Graded and High School, last Friday evening, was all that could have been expected. The graduating class rendered their parts well. The class address, delivered by the Hon. T. J. Choates, president of the Eastern Kentucky State Normal, Richmond, Kentucky, was fine. Some ten or more pupils composed the graduating class, and after the class address Prof. J. L. Pilkinton presented diplomas in each of the number, thus closing a very successful school year.—J. N. Vanhook, who recently purchased property in our town, sold a farm near Mareburg to a Mr. Balou, of Harlan county, for \$4,000.—Elder J. W. Masters, of this place, is holding a revival at Gum Sulphur this week.—Mr. and Mrs. John Durham, of Chicago, are with relatives and friends here this week. Mr. Durham left here twenty-five years ago and it is said that he has accumulated considerable property. He came here with a view of buying his father's old homestead.—Mr. J. W. Chesnut, an aged and highly respectable citizen of Hiatt, was found dead in bed by Guy Margar, about 8 a.m. Wednesday. Mr. Chesnut had been living alone for several months and possibly had been dead several hours when found.—He leaves two sons, I. B. Chesnut, of Berea, and H. J. Chesnut, of Lancaster, to mourn the loss of an affectionate father.

It is further resolved, That we commend this dear father and children to the pity and loving compassion of our dear Heavenly Father, believing that whatsoever He does is for the best, because—Behind our life the Weaver stands And works his wondrous will; We leave it all to His wise hand And trust His perfect skill; Should mystery enshroud His plan And our short sight be dim, We will not try the whole to scan But leave it all to Him.

It is further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Mt. Vernon Signal for publication and a copy be spread on our minute book.

A. J. PIKE,  
Committee for Church and Sunday School.

RED CROSS  
(Continued from 1st page.)

WILDFIE

W. T. Hicks ..... 25.00  
W. W. Coffey ..... 10.00  
D. L. Carter and family ..... 8.00  
H. H. Wood ..... 25.00  
T. G. Reynolds ..... 5.00  
W. M. Manus ..... 5.00

## HOLD THE BATTLE LINE IN FRANCE

Feed the American Army—Save the Wheat Flour

### THE PATRIOTIC PLEDGE

Ky., 1918.

I have a family of persons living at my home. I have on hand pounds of wheat flour. I agree that in my home we will not use more than six pounds of wheat products in thirty days for each person, including flour, crackers, Victory bread, macaroni, etc., until the next harvest comes in August. I agree to hold at my home all wheat flour which I have on hand over a thirty days' supply for my family on the ration of six pounds per month per person, and to dispose of such surplus as the United States Food Administration may direct in the interest of National Safety. If my surplus flour is given to the Government, I am to be paid what it cost me.

I make and sign this pledge as an American citizen to aid in the winning of the war.

P. O. Address:

Cut out the above pledge. Fill in the blanks. Sign your name and address and mail to your County Food Administrator at once.

Wheat! Wheat!! Wheat!!! This is the great national necessity at the present time. It is needed for the immense armies we are sending abroad at the present time. It is needed for the Allied armies who are so gloriously holding the Battle Line in Western France until the Americans can get "on the job" and drive the German Hordes back across the Rhine.

It is wheat flour that is so badly needed for bread stuffs over there. It is wheat flour that the American Government must have and our American Patriots at home must provide it by savings in the homes. There is no other source of supply until the next harvest. Thus duty calls us to our part in the war.

Knowing that all loyal citizens are glad and willing to conform their households to the six pound ration until the new harvest, but knowing also that we have some among us who are disloyal and pro-German and perhaps not averse to seeing sacrificed the splendid brave youth of the nation who are going from our homes to fight for our freedom, the Government is protecting our loyal citizens against those disloyal in meeting this call for the saving of wheat flour. There is on the Statute Books a law against Hoarding under which those who hold an unreasonable amount of flour are being prosecuted by the Department of Justice in the Federal Courts. The penalty for convicted hoarders is a fine not to exceed \$5,000, and imprisonment not to exceed two years, or both.

The Food Administration has determined the amount of wheat that is available from now until harvest for the American people. It has determined that a reasonable use must not exceed six pounds per month per person and has stated that it is unreasonable in this emergency to have on hand more than a thirty days' supply on this ration for our householders.

Any person who has on hand more than this amount is liable to prosecution as a hoarder of flour under the law on orders from the Food Administration. The procedure is by indictment in the Federal Court.

Recognizing, however, that many patriotic persons, following practices formerly considered legitimate and usual, have laid in larger quantities of flour than in this time of National Emergency is considered reasonable and right and that many of these persons acted in so doing from proper motives, the Food Administration in the interest of fairness and justice, now offers to those citizens who have thus acted in good faith, the opportunity of showing their patriotism and insuring themselves against the notoriety and penalties that would result from prosecution.

No person in Kentucky, therefore, who makes and files with their County Food Administrator the statement disclosed in the Pledge at the head of this article and holds his surplus flour for the Government, agreeing to turn it over if it is needed, will be prosecuted by the Government for hoarding flour.

The Food Administration will not call for your surplus unless it is necessary, and when it does call, will leave you your thirty days' supply, but it must know where the flour is and it must have your promise to turn it over as a measure of National Safety.

In some Kentucky counties, owing to shortage of supply, it has already been found necessary to direct that excess holdings be marketed, but it is only in cases of emergency that such action is contemplated.

When this call comes to you think of the needs of our soldiers, the brave boys who fight our battle for freedom, for the safety of our homes from the menace of the Hun. Don't let anyone say you are a slacker because you have not offered your surplus to the Government in time of need. Every pound of flour now counts in this time of trouble. Remember also that the influence of your offer on other citizens not so patriotically inclined, may save the lives of many brave boys from your own home town. Make your sacrifice for them and inscribe your name in this pledge on your Country's Roll of Honor!

FRED M. SACKETT,  
Federal Food Administrator for Kentucky.

May 17th, 1918.

Canada Reduces Wheat Consumption.

Home consumption of wheat in Canada is now being reduced about 50 per cent to make possible an increase in wheat exports.

—Save Food.—

Be More Efficient Than the Enemy.

"The only way to win the war," says the friendly Farmer, "is for us to be more efficient than the enemy. If the Hun soldier is inefficient, ours must be made more efficient." • • • The German farmer is efficient in feeding and clothing the German army, the American farmer must prove himself more efficient.

—Save Food.—

U. S. Cornmeal Output Doubled.

A canvass of the whole country by the Food Administration shows that the actual milling output of cornmeal increased from 2,000,000 barrels in October to nearly 6,000,000 barrels in March. During the past 18 months, the output of corn flour has increased 500 per cent.

—Save Food.—

No Sacrifice, Just a Change.

The program of food conservation in the United States leads Missouri Ruralist to say: "We Americans have not yet been asked for any real sacrifices. Our meatless day and wheatless meals are merely a matter of changing the bill-of-fare, substituting one food for another and are nothing compared with the rations imposed on the English people and the voluntary rations asked of the Canadians."

J. W. Hasty ..... 5.00  
Mrs. Eliza Branaman ..... 1.00  
W. H. Branaman ..... 1.00  
Miss Maude Reynolds ..... 1.00  
Miss Julia Reynolds ..... 1.00  
W. H. Jones ..... 10.00  
Gib Alexander ..... 1.00  
J. A. Fish ..... 2.00  
Brit Durham ..... 1.00  
H. S. Coffey ..... 4.00  
J. H. Branaman ..... 10.00  
A. B. Cox ..... 5.00  
W. W. Coffey ..... 10.00  
D. L. Carter and family ..... 8.00  
H. H. Wood ..... 25.00  
T. G. Reynolds ..... 5.00  
W. M. Manus ..... 5.00

J. M. Coffey ..... 5.00

Total ..... \$ 135.50

To pay any special tribute to any particular one in the successful Red Cross drive, would be very much out of place, since it has been the pride of everyone to see it go "over the top" and many have been the untiring workers.

In our next issue will appear names of contributors from all points, which have not been reported this week.



## Free Free free

Your Kodak films developed free. I only charge you for each print.

Work done by an expert. Order your films from us. We pay postage.

Mail us your films.

J. P. KELSON, Your Druggist

## The Safest Place for Your Money

The paper money of the United States is a promise to pay. It is the agreement of the United States to "pay to bearer" a certain sum. W. S. S. are also a promise to pay.

### War Savings Stamps Are as Good as Money and Pay You 4% Compounded Quarterly

Both the money and the stamps are guaranteed by the richest nation in the world.

Suppose we were to lose the war? What good would money be?

None at all. It would be a mere memento of the past. And if we bought our freedom back, by indemnity, it would be at a price so colossal as to wipe out our savings and mortgage our earnings for generations.

The safest place for all your money is in War Savings Stamps, because the money saved and raised by War Savings Stamps will win the war, and thus insure the preservation and solvency of our Government and the safety of our homes and families forever.



This Space Contributed by

SIDNEY S. ODELL

A. W. FISH, Clerk  
District Deputy,  
Barbourville, Ky.

N. Dixie Camp,  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

D.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## Mt. Vernon Signal

MT. VERNON KY, May 24, 1918

79 UP "No. 79" when  
want to see what's new  
one with SIGNAL



TIME TABLE.

22 north.....	6:57 p m
24 north.....	3:47 a m
23 south.....	11:55 a m
21 South.....	12:13 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.  
Phone No. 8.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, Ky. Postoffice  
as second-class mail matter.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. J. W. Moore who has been  
so very low, is better.

Mrs Steve Drew of the Burr  
section is reported very sick.

Judge L. W. Bethurum was in  
Lexington Tuesday on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Sowder  
are here from West Virginia  
for a few days visit.

Mr. Anderson Burdette's en  
tire family are down with measles  
and have been very sick.

Orrin Wallen, of Brodhead, is  
working a few nights at the L &  
N. depot while Jack Lawrence  
is resting up.

Mrs. R. W. Dyche, of London,  
who has been so very low with  
pneumonia, is just a little better,  
says the last report.

Mrs Sarah B. Baker has been  
in a very serious condition with  
measles. She is better at this  
time.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Dees came  
up from Livingston Tuesday to  
see their daughter, Mrs. Baker,  
who has been very sick.

Murphy Whitehead who suf  
fered a broken leg while working  
in the log woods, was taken to  
London Monday to have the X  
Ray applied.

Mrs. R. H. Livesay stopped  
for a night with Mr. and Mrs.  
Wade Livesay, returning from a  
visit to her sister near Brodhead,  
to her home at Fork Ridge,  
Tenn.

Miss Susie Thompson was in  
Lexington Tuesday to see her  
brother Will, who is attending  
Kentucky University. He will  
be at home next week but will  
be here only a few days when he  
will leave for a training camp.

J. D. Lamb, who has been located  
at Livingston for the past year  
buying all the old scrap  
iron, rubbish, or whatever the  
people had to sell, is now located  
in Mt. Vernon. Look him up if  
you have any thing in that line  
to get rid of.

Mr. W. B. Reinke is expected  
tomorrow and Sunday he will  
take Mrs. Reinke and the children,  
Will and Nancy, to their  
new home in Alabama. They  
will store their furniture in the  
Miss Kate Moore property for a  
short time.

Bob Allen was over from Covington  
last week attending court. Bob is the sole owner of the  
Kentucky Motors Car Co., one  
of the best and most popular  
garages in Covington. Bob is  
doing well and his Rockcastle  
friends are proud to hear of his  
splendid success.

Miss Lou Phillips has been ap  
pointed Chairman of the Womens  
Division of the Rockcastle War  
Savings Committee. She will  
begin at once to organize and  
get the women interested in buy  
ing and selling War Savings  
Stamps. She attended a meet  
ing of County Chairmen at Lexington  
yesterday.

### LOCAL

Rockcastle has certainly done  
herself proud in the Red Cross  
drive.

### CIRCUIT COURT.

The damage suit of Will Cum  
mins against the W. J. Sparks  
Co., which was on trial at the  
time of our last issue resulted in  
favor of the plaintiff, who was  
given a judgment for \$1000.  
Cummins was caught between  
two rock cars in the Mt. Vernon  
quarry some years ago and re  
ceived a broken leg. Sheridan  
Bowman for striking John C.  
Taylor with a hammer, was ac  
quitted.

New assortment of shirts for  
young men at Fish's.

Riding Trousers and Leggins  
for young men at Fish's.

We keep the quality up because  
the quality keeps us up.

J. Fish & Son.

Coopers Kenosha-Klosed-Krotch  
that's the coolest underwear  
made. Gets yours today at  
Fish's.

June 24 to 28 is War Savings  
week in Kentucky. Every War  
Savings stamp you buy helps  
keep the Germans out of your  
own home.

There is a great demand for  
graduates of Prof. Wilbur R.  
Smith, Lexington, Kentucky, at  
fine salaries. Read his ad and  
write for particulars.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair are re  
joicing over the arrival of a fine  
girl baby. Mrs. St. Clair, who  
was Miss Ina McCoy, is with Mt  
Vernon relatives.

Mr. Jarrett Chesnut, age about  
74 years, was found dead in bed  
Wednesday morning. The de  
ceased lived by himself near Hiatt  
post office. The burial took  
place at Brodhead yesterday af  
ternoon.

If you have a picture of your  
son, brother, sweetheart or relative  
who is in the service to day  
bring it to Fish's and it will be  
shown along with the others al  
ready on display. You may have  
it back any time you like.

The price is 5cts for all extra  
copies of the Signal. Some peo  
ple, however, seem to have the  
idea that newspapers do not cost  
anything and should be gratis  
tously and promiscuously scattered  
to the four ends of the earth with  
out recompense or reward. Please  
remember the price is 5cts  
for all copies taken from the  
office.

Those who have monthly dona  
tions to the Red Cross are  
asked to please drop in Peoples  
Bank and pay. Miss Proctor,  
the collector, does not have the  
time and is not supposed to run  
over town and hunt you up for  
this obligation on your part. This  
is due the first of each month.  
Won't you please keep it in mind  
and abide by this request.

The following teachers have  
been elected for the ensuing  
year for the Mt. Vernon Graded  
and High School:

D. H. Lyon — Principal, Miss  
Mary Thompson, of Cadiz, Ky.,  
teacher of French and History  
in high school, Miss Anna K.  
Baugh, of Berea, teacher of Latin  
and English in high school, Miss  
Myrtle Bryant, 7th and 8th  
grades, Miss Ruth Mullins 5th  
and 6th grades, Miss Lou Phillips,  
3rd and 4th grades, Miss  
Mary Langford, 2nd grade, Miss  
Georgia McFerron, primary.

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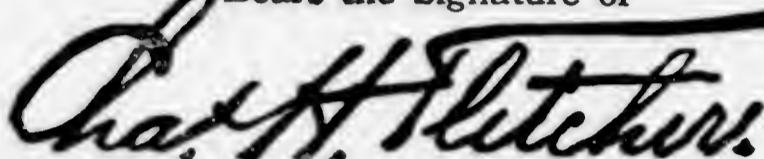
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Nine months have passed away in silence,  
Since God called you from our home.

We are left here sad and lonely.  
Taru this weary world to roan  
Day by day we sat and watched you.

Slowly fade away,  
Yet in our hearts we hoped and prayed.

That God would longer let you stay.

We never hear your sweet voice calling,

Nor your footsteps soft and low,

Since God called you up to Heaven.

None sad months ago.

Oh smile upon us from above,  
As God to lead us thru,  
The walk of life that we come day,  
May find our way to you.

CAMPBELL HOUK  
AND CHILDREN.

IN MEMORIUM OF MRS. A. E. ALBRIGHT.

Speak softly friends as you enter,

The portals of sorrow tonight,  
For the soul of one we loved dearly,

Has just today, taken its flight.

She has gone to her rest eternal,  
To the land of undying bliss,  
There is no response to our calling,

And no return of our kiss.

But her anguish of spirit has vanished,

And the pain of body has ceased,

And her soul, too good for a mortal,  
From its prison of clay been released.

And the angels who guarded her spirit,

Have taken her by the hand,  
And welcomed her home to her father,

And into the saintly band.

She has taken her place with the blessed,

So do not grieve for your loss,  
For the wife you loved so dearly,

Has taken a crown for a cross.

LELA MURPHY.

Children Ory  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of execution No 255 directed to me, which issued from the Clerks Office of the Madison Circuit Court in favor of the officials of the Madison Circuit Court against Mason Pullins. I will, on Monday, May 27th, 1918 between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m. at the court house door in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky, expose to public sale to the highest and best bidder the following described property, or as much thereof as is necessary to satisfy the plaintiffs debt, interest and costs. To-wit: The 2-8 of 1-6 interest in the following described real estate.

Being in Rockcastle County Kentucky on the head waters of Round Stone creek and being tract No. 4 in the division of a 14 1/2 acre tract at the head of Round Stone Creek near Flat Gap, Wade H. Marrett's part of a 200 acre survey, owned by him and Alva Pullins and bounded as follows:

Beginning with a stone with Johnson's a corner to lots No. 1 and two in said division N. 83 E. 12 poles to a stake at the foot of a hill with pointers, a new division corner; thence N. 90 poles to a stake in the outside line of the whole tract; thence with the same S. 55 W. 21 poles to a stake, S. 80 W. 35 1/2 poles to a stake, S. 82 W. 14 poles to a stake in said outline, a corner to lot No. 1 in said division; thence with line of same S. 37 E. 78 poles to the beginning containing 20 acres 1 rod and 12 1/2 poles.

No. 2—Beginning at a stake with pointers, corner to lot No. 4 also corner to lot No. 2—in said division; thence with line of lot No. 2—in said division; thence with line of lot No. 2—south 33 1/2 poles to a stake with pointers, corner to lot No. 2—an outside corner to whole tract; thence line of same N. 71 W. 85 poles to stake in east side of county road; thence N. 11 W. 87 poles

to a stake N. 36 W. 31 poles to a stake at Flat Gap in county line; thence with same N. 32 E. 25 poles to a stake corner to lot No. 4 in the aforesaid division; thence with line of same S. 37 1/2 E. 78 poles to the beginning containing 15 acres 2 rods and 10 poles.

No. 3—On the plat being lot No. 2 in the aforesaid division and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stake with pointers corner to Harris Chenault & Company; thence the out side line of the 200 acres S. 41 W. 10 poles to a stake N. 30 W. 62 poles to a stake near a branch N. 58 W. 53 poles to a stake on the north east side of the county road; thence N. 1 E. 34 poles to a stake on the north east side of county road; N. 1 E. 34 poles to a stake N. 25 E. 22 poles, corner to lot No. 1 in the aforesaid division; thence with same, N. 33 1/2 poles to a stake with pointer, corner to lot No. 1 and 4 in the aforesaid division; thence with lot No. 4 and 3 N. 83 E. 161 poles to a stake with pointers, corner lot No. 3 in line to Harris Chenault & Company; thence with their line S. 24 1/2 W. 90 poles to the beginning containing 110 acres.

No. 4—Tract of land on plat purchased by Alva Pullins from Wilson P. Griffin.

Beginning at a stake in line to A Pullins tract No. 3 in the plat and known as lot No. 2 in the division of Wade H. Marrett and Alva Pullins 200 acres on head waters of Round Stone creek; thence said Pullins line S. 26 1/2 poles to a stake, corner to H Duger; thence his line S. 42 E. 78 1/2 poles to a stake, corner to same; thence N. 69 W. 25 poles to a stake in line to James Lambert's and corner to Boatright heirs; thence their line E. 40 S. 88 poles to the beginning containing 13 acres.

The above sale will be made on a credit of 3 months, with approved security the amount of debt interest and cost to be raised on day of sale.

TIP LANGFORD, S. R. C.

May 4—1918.

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Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes:

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THE NEGRO AND THE WAR.

Gen. Pershing's report of the heroic fight of two negro soldiers who, though wounded, withheld a raiding party of twenty Germans and saved their comrades from capture is no surprise to anybody who knows the American negro as a fighter.

Of the negro volunteers from New York who have been in France since January a correspondent with the American army says:

They are over here, their typical negro selves. The standard of intelligence in the unit is extremely high, and no illiteracy is noticeable. Many of the men have become fluent French talkers and I have heard animated conversations between our darkies and the Senegales who chanced to be passing.

The American negro lad gets along famously with both white and black Frenchman. In their dealings with the feminine population they are punctiliously polite and not a single complaint has been lodged against them in this respect. Naturally they are delighted at the complete lack of racial prejudice they have found in France and some of them have declared to me their intention of remaining here after the war. Their pride in their unit speaks well for a continuance of the high morale they have manifested so far.

There is no color line in the war against the black flag of the Prussian skull-and-bone. By the way, it was noticed that no participants in Louisville's great Red Cross parade received from the spectators more applause than the negroes. —Times.

The French troops, who are fighting alongside the British, have carried another of their whirlwind attacks to a successful conclusion in the Flanders battlefield and have thereby advanced their line along a 4000-yard front in the Loco sector. More than 400 German prisoners have thus far been brought in. The prisoners have been sent on the happy road to the French rear. No attempt was made to push forward to a great depth and all objectives were gained. As a consequence there has been a de-



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As soon as possible after the injury is received get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and follow the plain printed directions which accompany the bottle.